

# The Sweetest Story Ever Told Repeated in Churches

## Linda Seymour Weds Canadian

Miss Linda Seymour, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Seymour of 20502 Madison St., became the bride of Paul Choquette, son of John Choquette of Montreal, Canada, in a double-ring ceremony performed by Father O'Toole at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 6 at Nativity Catholic Church.

The bride, who was given in marriage before 175 guests by her father, wore a white satin gown. Her veil was attached to a seed pearl crown and she carried a cascade bouquet of white roses and archils.

Miss Darline Keller was matron of honor. She was dressed in a long yellow gown and carried a yellow carnation bouquet. Bridesmaids were: The Misses

Donna Andrews, Karen Siegler, Judy Johns and Christine Seymour. Their ensembles consisted of yellow street-length dresses, yellow veils, yellow shoes, and yellow carnation bouquets.

Best man was John Holmstedt. Charles Seymour and Larry Gigan were ushers. Organist was Mrs. Mary Butterfield.

A reception at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Redondo Beach followed the ceremony.

At home at 721-C Sartori Ave., the couple honeymooned at Carmel By the Sea and San Francisco. The bridegroom is employed by Tubcraft. He received his education in Canada. The bride was graduated from Torrance High School last month.



MRS. PAUL CHOQUETTE  
... former Linda Seymour  
(photo by Seeman)

## Enerson-McClung Vows Exchanged

At a ceremony performed at 2 p.m. Saturday, June 8, at Saint Margaret Mary's Church in Lomita, Miss Elaine Enerson, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Spotts of 5630 Ravenspur Drive, Palos Verdes, became the bride of Dennis McClung.

Officiating at the single-ring ceremony before 35 guests was Father J. M. Patrick.

Given in marriage by her uncle, the bride was dressed in a white street-length lace gown fashioned with fitted bodice, full skirt, and long sleeves. A pearl crown held her shoulder length veil. She had a bouquet of carnations and butterfly orchids.

Her only attendant was Miss Barbara Banner, maid of honor, who selected a blue long sleeved dress fashioned with a high neckline. She

wore matching shoes and carried a bouquet of white carnations. Steven McClung was best man.

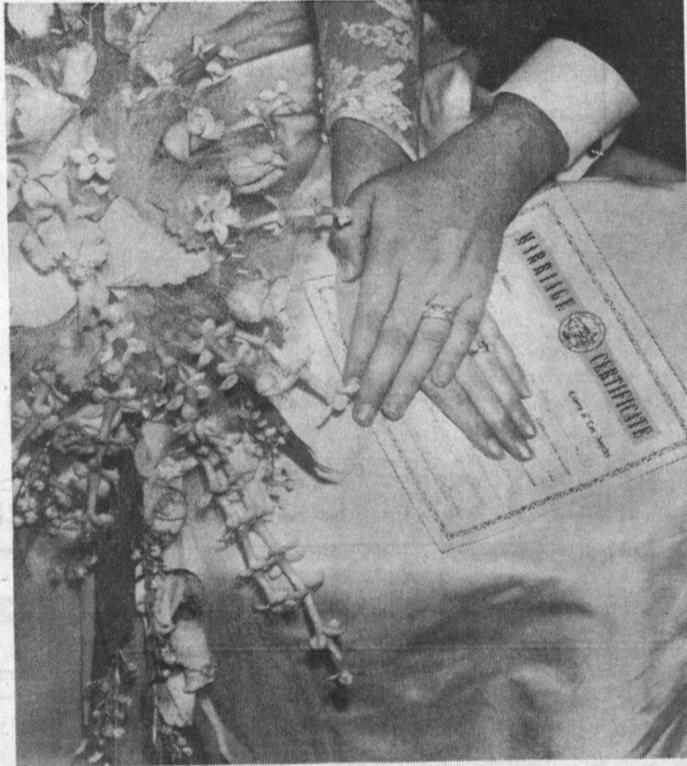
Assisting at the reception which took place at 3 p.m. at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, were Mrs. Steven McClung, Sr. and Mrs. Steven McClung, Jr.

The couple flew to Lake Tahoe for their honeymoon. The new Mrs. McClung, who was graduated last year from Ramona High School, Riverside, is currently attending Harbor City College and is employed in the Customer Service Division of Sears Roebuck. Her husband also attends Harbor City College, where he is majoring in engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. McClung are making their home at 24625 1/2 Pennsylvania Ave., Lomita.



MRS. DENNIS McCLUNG  
... former Elaine Enerson  
(photo by Photo Arts)



"WITH THIS RING" ... begin the vows recited throughout Torrance churches in recent weeks as dozens of

couples made nuptial promises symbolized by the clasped hands, wedding bouquet and marriage rings captured in this picture by William T. Schell, Jr.

## Newlyweds Return From Canadian Trip

Following a two week honeymoon in Northern California and Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Joe John Lopez are at home at 1730 Flower St.

Mrs. Lopez is the former Judith Louise Hesser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hesser of 2715 Gramercy Ave. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Lopez of 2138 East El Segundo Blvd., Compton.

The couple recited their wedding vows at 8 p.m. Friday at the Crenshaw Christian Church, 9550 Crenshaw Blvd., Inglewood. Rev. Bob M. Jones officiated.

Candles and ribbons decorated the pews and arrangements of white gladioli and chrysanthemums were at the altar. Two hundred guests were in attendance.

For the doubling ceremony the bride selected a Cahill gown of Mira mist taffeta trimmed with Venetian lace fashioned with a portrait neckline, tapering sleeves, fitted bodice and bouffant overskirt. Three petal veils of hand rolled silk illusion fell from a crown of tear-drop pearls. A crescent bouquet of Phalaenopsis orchids and stephanotis featuring a removable corsage completed her ensemble. Mr. Hesser gave his daughter in marriage.

The bride had as her attendants her sisters, Mrs. Daniel Pivovarov and Miss Janice Hesser, and her cousin, Mrs. Ted Stracener. Mrs. Pivovarov, matron of honor, was attired in an aqua Satapeau sheath with peplum and carried a crescent bouquet of yellow gladioli. The bridesmaids were dressed in similar attire, and the flower girls, Shelly Stracener, wore an aqua and white organdy dress.

Mrs. Hesser was gowned in a pink silk suit and the mother of the bridegroom in a dotted rayon dress.

Walter Tomsick was best man and ushers were: Clarence Weight, Homer Adams, Clinton Kroll, and Daniel Pivovarov.

Wedding music included "Oh, Perfect Love" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Setting for the wedding

reception which followed the ceremony was the church hall. Miss Sally Lopez, sister of the bridegroom, presided at the guest book.

A fifth grade teacher at Seaside School, the bride is a graduate of Torrance High School and Long Beach

State College.

Her husband, who is affiliated with Chi Gamma Iota Alpha fraternity, was graduated from Fremont High School and Compton Junior College. He is employed as an engineer at Hughes Aircraft Corp., Inglewood.



MRS. JOE LOPEZ  
... former Judith Hesser  
(photo by Seeman)

## Judy Ann Petty Weds John Smith



MRS. JOHN B. SMITH, JR.  
... former Judy Ann Petty  
(photo by Seeman)

A candlelight ceremony marked the marriage of Judy Ann Petty to John B. Smith Jr. at First Christian Church of Torrance, 2930 El Dorado. The 7 p.m. wedding was performed by Rev. Milton Sippel Saturday, June 22.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deuward Petty of 169 Faysmith Ave. and the bridegroom is son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jester of 1602 W. 219th St.

One hundred seventy-five guests witnessed the double ring ceremony.

Escorted by her father, the bride was attired in a white lace floor-length gown featuring scalloped neckline accentuated with seed pearls and long sleeves. Her bouquet was comprised of white gardenias.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Dolores Vicara who wore a pale yellow taffeta sheath with bell overskirt, scoop neckline and three-quarter

sleeves. Her bouquet was of yellow and rust carnation.

The mother of the bride selected a beige lace dress, and the mother of the bridegroom chose blue lace. Dressed to match the matron of honor, bridesmaids were: The Misses Sally Gibson and Diane Gill.

Attending the bridegroom were John Viacara, best man, and Ken Tadlock and Dennis Patty, ushers.

Musical selections were: "This Is My Beloved," "I Love Thee," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception took place at the church. Presiding at the guest book was Miss Della Preble.

The newlyweds who are both 1962 graduates of North High, are at home in Torrance following a Reno honeymoon. Mrs. Smith is employed by Aerospace Corp. and Mr. Smith is affiliated with the Gus Cochrone Roofing Co.

## Hamilton PTA Eyes Program for Year

Plans for the coming year were discussed by the program and budget committees of Hamilton Elementary PTA at a recent meeting in the home of Mrs. A. J. Stilwell, president.

Program committee members Mrs. William Threadgill, Mrs. Maynard Midthun, Mrs. Ray Dearden, Mrs. Joe Marmalejo, Mrs. E. J. Clark, and Mrs. J. W. Cleveland, have chosen "Focus on Family, Faith, and Freedom" as the general theme.

Themes for the individual association meetings will include "Focus on an American's Reaction to Europe," with lecture and slides by Reverend Maynard Midthun; "Focus on Reading," by members of the faculty; "Focus on Christianity," the Christmas program; "Focus on the Child," by the school psychologist; and programs concerning social problems, student music, water safety, and our Constitution.

The budget committee, Mrs. W. L. Forsythe, Mrs. J. L. Pauly, Mrs. William Foster, and Mrs. J. W. Cleveland, drew up a budget to

be presented to the association in the fall.

## Yukon PTA Sets Carnival Motif

Yukon Elementary PTA fall carnival theme, "Mad Hatter's" was announced by Mrs. Paul Hughes, ways and means chairman. There will be a contest for the "Maddest" hat in the Yukon territory. The ways and means chairman will meet in August to plan in more detail. The budget and finance committee will meet tomorrow to set up the budget.

Mrs. Arthur Croft was ratified as co-chairman of hospitality and room count.

Mrs. Otis Hatfield announced a gala ice cream social Sept. 19. Sports will highlight the evening. Everyone will be welcome to come to the ice cream social to meet his neighbor and say "Howdy" over his favorite sundae.

The program committee held their second meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Otis Hatfield.